



Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission
in conjunction with
California Department of Fish and Game is
establishing a



Recruitment List

For a Fisheries Technician Pool

Note to applicants: Qualified applicants will be contacted as positions become available. This may occur during the open recruitment period, so applicants are encouraged to apply early for potential immediate consideration. This recruitment list will be utilized for all Fish Tech openings for the next 6 months.

Recruitment Purpose: anticipation of positions immediately needed to assist in (but not limited to) annual salmon spawning and carcass surveys, recovery of coded-wire tags (CWT), juvenile emigration surveys, and collection/processing of biological data and samples from salmon carcasses in spawning streams, operation and maintenance of fish traps and weirs, juvenile snorkel surveys, etc. in the State of California. Regions currently with openings include the Central and North Coast and the Central Valley regions in California.

RATE OF PAY: Varies depending on work location, project, and position.

WORK HOURS: All schedules including part-time and full-time, weekends and holidays.
These positions will vary in length of employment and duties.

DUTIES MAY INCLUDE:

1. Conducting various salmon spawning ground surveys, carcass surveys, redd surveys, weir and trap counts, etc, or juvenile emigration surveys, snorkel surveys, rotary screw trap and trawl sampling.
2. Collects and summarizes biological and tag data from salmon on spawning grounds.
3. Drives project vehicles towing boat trailers, operates and maintains jet boats, drift boats, and rubber rafts.
4. Data entry on field forms or electronic data loggers, and in the office using desktop computers.

KNOWLEDGE/EXPERIENCE REQUIRED BY THE POSITION:

1. Ability to work independently with minimum amount of supervision for extended periods of time; lift 50 lbs.; walk several miles in a day over a variety of terrain; work outdoors in all types of weather, and ability to swim.
2. Knowledge of scientific data collection methods, the ability to accurately record data using manual and electronic means, and basic mathematical skills sufficient to summarize daily sampling data.
3. Must possess a valid driver's license (evidence must be provided upon job offer).
4. Must possess the ability to identify sample fish species (with prior education/experience, on-the-job training, or identification charts).

COMPLETE AN APPLICATION: Visit the PSMFC website <http://www.psmfc.org> for how to apply instructions; or e-mail at recruit@psmfc.org for additional help.

CLOSING DATE: Applications must be received by April 30, 2004.

*PSMFC is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer,
and encourages qualified special disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam era to apply.*